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Transmitted herewith for filing in the present application are the following documents:

- 1. Amendment and Response to Final Office Action dated June 26, 2006, (17 pages);
- 2. Return Postcard.

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (212) 935-3000.

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Sir:

In reply to the Final Office Action dated June 26, 2006, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in light of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.